

DESCENDANTS OF JACOB D. BENNETT  
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## 1.JACOB D. BENNETT

Jacob D. Bennett was born in Lewis County VA (WV) about 1825. He married Mary Jane Norman. Mary, a daughter of Felix and Mary (Greenleaves) Norman, was born in Lewis County April 22, 1830 and died in Gilmer County after 1862.

Jacob married Rachel McCune about 1868. Rachel, a daughter of Joseph and Christina McCune, was born in VA about 1847.

In the 1900 Gilmer County WV census, Jacob is listed as divorced and living n the household of his son in law, Silas Tolbert Gainer. Rachel had married Albert Riddle in Gilmer County WV October 24, 1895.

Children of Jacob D. and Mary Jane (Norman) Bennett.

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|----|------|-------------------|-----------|------|
| 2. | (1). | Martha            | b.c.      | 1851 |
|    |      | m. John F. Riddle | Apr 4     | 1865 |
| 3. | (2). | Jonathan M.       | b.c.      | 1858 |
| 4. | (3). | Albert Jackson    | b. Oct 27 | 1860 |
|    |      | m. Mary E. Gainer | Nov 27    | 1877 |

Children of Jacob D. and Rachel (McCune) Bennett.

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| 5.  | (1). | William                 | b.c.     | 1869                  |
|     |      | m. Cora E. Gainer       | Nov 17   | 1895                  |
| 6.  | (2). | Perry                   | b.c.     | 1873                  |
| 7.  | (3). | Mary Alice              | b.Aug 28 | 1874                  |
|     |      | m.Philip Aaron Kuhl     | Feb 3    | 1893                  |
| 8.  | (4). | Laura Belle             | b.c.     | 1878                  |
| 9.  | (5). | Vashta                  | b.c.     | 1879                  |
|     |      | m. Silas Tolbert Gainer | Oct 20   | 1896                  |
| 10. | (6). | Myrtle                  | b. Oct   | 1881                  |
|     |      | m. Granville Godfrey    | Apr 9    | 1902 Gilmer County WV |
| 11. | (7). | Minnie                  | b. Aug   | 1885                  |
|     |      | m. Ores A. Collins      | Dec 7    | 1913 Gilmer county WV |
| 12. | (8). | Carl Vance              | b. Jul   | 1888                  |
|     |      | m. Bessie Buford Bond   | Apr 3    | 1910 Gilmer County WV |

## 5.WILLIAM M. BENNETT 1.JACOB D. BENNETT

William M. Bennett, a son of Jacob D. and Rachel (McCune) Bennett, was born in Gilmer County WV in October 1870. He married Cora E. Gainer in Gilmer County WV November 17, 1895. Cora, a daughter of Brian and Elizabeth A. (Vannoy) Gainer, was born in Gilmer County in June 1872.

Known children of William M. and Cora (Gainer) Bennett.

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|-----|------|---------------|--------|------|
| 13. | (1). | Dola May      | b. Apr | 1896 |
| 14. | (2). | Eda           | b. May | 1898 |
| 15. | (3). | Minnie Murlie | b. Mar | 1900 |
| 16. | (4). | Claude        | b.c.   | 1902 |
| 17. | (5). | Jack          | b.c.   | 1906 |

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